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SUBJECT: TUVALU INDEPENDENCE CEREMONIES - DEPLOYMENT OF USS
BENJAMIN STODDART

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1. EMBASSY IS UNCERTAIN (SINCE OUR SKILL IN READING MILITARY
ABBREVIATIONS AND UNCLASSIFIED CODE NOT HIGHLY DEVELOPED)
FROM CONTENTS REFERENCED MESSAGE WHETHER USS HASSAYAMPA WILL
ACCOMPANY USS BENJAMIN STODDERT TO TUVALU INDEPENDENCE
CEREMONIES 29 SEPT - 01 OCT. PLEASE CLARIFY.

2. WE HAVE RECEIVED INDICATIONS FROM UK HIGH COMMISSION IN
SUVA THAT GIVEN LIMITED ACCOMMODATIONS IN TUVALU, THERE MAY
BE REQUESTS FROM INVITED GUESTS, PARTICULARLY OTHER PACIFIC
ISLAND REPRESENTATIVES, FOR ACCOMMODATIONS ABOARD U.S. WAR-
SHIP. U.S. INVITEES INCLUDE AMB TO FIJI AND MRS. JOHN P.
CONDON, REP FROM TTPI AND USG REP FROM WASHINGTON. WILL USS
BENJAMIN STODDERT BE ABLE TO ACCOMMODATE U.S. INVITEES? IS
THERE SPACE AND REGULATORY BASIS TO ACCOMMODATE ANY OTHERS?

3. EMBASSY PUBLIC AFFAIRS OFFICER WILL BE TRAVELLING IN
AREA AT TIME OF INDEPENENCE CEREMONIES AND CAN HANDLE PRESS
RELATIONS, ETC. IF ACCOMMODATIONS CAN BE ARRANGED. AL-
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THOUGH NOT A MEMBER OF OFFICIAL DELEGATION, PAO COULD PLAY
USEFUL ROLE AND WOULD APPRECIATE STAYING ABOARD SHIP IF
POSSIBLE.

4. PLEASE ADVISE US OF EXACT ARRIVAL TIME OF USS BENJAMIN
STODDERT IN TUVALU AS SOON AS TIME IS DETERMINED. ALSO
WHETHER ANY THOUGHT HAS BEEN GIVEN TO THE SHIP'S HOLDING

AN OPEN HOUSE FOR VISITS BY PUBLIC.
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